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AIM: WHAT IS THE PYTHAGOREAN THEOREM?

Do Now: The sides of a triangle are $4\sqrt{3}$, $\sqrt{12}$, and $\sqrt{75}$. What is the **perimeter** of this triangle? (*HINT: Simplify the radicals first!*)



NOTES:

• The 'a' and 'b' values of the Pythagorean Theorem represent the ______ of the right triangle.

• The 'c' value of the Pythagorean theorem represents the ______ which is the

_____ side of the right triangle.

1. Given the diagram below, what is the length of the hypotenuse in simplest radical form?



2. In the diagram below of $\triangle ADB$, m $\angle BDA = 90$, $AD = 5\sqrt{2}$, and $AB = 2\sqrt{15}$. What is the length of \overline{BD} ?



3. In triangle *RST*, angle *R* is a right angle. If $TR = \sqrt{6}$ and $TS = \sqrt{18}$, what is the length of *RS* in simplest radical form?

- 4. The diagonal of a rectangle measures 65 centimeters. The length of the rectangle is 33 centimeters.
 - a) Find the width of the rectangle.
 - b) Find the area of the rectangle.
- 5. The area of a square is $144 \ cm^2$. What is the measure of the diagonal, in simplest radical form?

6. In an isosceles triangle, each of the equal sides measures 34 inches. The altitude drawn to the base measures 16 inches. Find the length of the base.

7. In the accompanying diagram of right triangles *ABD* and *DBC*, AB = 5, AD = 4, and CD = 1. Find the length of \overline{BC} , to the *nearest tenth*.



- 8. Claudia sailed her boat due south for 38 miles, then due west for 25 miles. To the nearest tenth, how far is Claudia from where she began?
- 9. James, the skunk, is traveling from point *A* to point *B* by taking a shortcut through the pond. A path that avoids the pond is 25 feet south and 28 feet east. To the *nearest tenth of a foot*, how many feet will James save by going through the pond instead of following the path?

10. Given the diagram shown at the right, as labeled in feet with *B-C-D* collinear. A chain is laid along the hypotenuse in each triangle. Find the total length of the chain.



- 11. The lengths of the sides of a right triangle can be
 - 1) 9,12,15
 - 2) 8,10,13
 - 3) 5, 5, 10
 - 4) 4,5,6
- 12. Which set of numbers could not represent the lengths of the sides of a right triangle?
 - 1) $\{1, 3, \sqrt{10}\}$
 - 2) {2,3,4}
 - 3) {3,4,5}
 - 4) {8, 15, 17}

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HOMEWORK

1. As seen in the accompanying diagram, a person can travel from New York City to Buffalo by going north 170 miles to Albany, and then west 280 miles to Buffalo. To the *nearest mile*, how many miles would be saved by traveling directly from New York City to Buffalo rather than by traveling first to Albany and then to Buffalo?



- 2. A cable 20 feet long connects the top of a flagpole to a point on the ground that is 16 feet from the base of the pole. How tall is the flagpole?
- 3. A baseball diamond is a square with sides of 90 feet. What is the shortest distance, to the *nearest tenth of foot*, from first base to third base?
- 4. Which set of numbers could be the lengths of the sides of a right triangle?
 - 1) {10,24,26}
 - 2) {12, 16, 30}
 - 3) {3,4,6}
 - 4) {4, 7, 8}
- 5. Which set of numbers does *not* represent the sides of a right triangle?
 - 1) {6,8,10}
 - 2) {8,15,17}
 - 3) {8, 24, 25}
 - 4) {15, 36, 39}

REVIEW:

- 6. Which polygon must have congruent diagonals?
 - (1) rhombus (3) parallelogram
 - (2) square (4) trapezoid
- 7. Given *CA* bisects $\bigcirc BAD$ and $BA \cong DA$. Which reason could be used to prove $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle ADC$?



- (1) $ASA \cong ASA$ (3) $SSS \cong SSS$
- (2) $SAS \cong SAS$ (4) $AAA \cong AAA$
- 8. Line *n* is represented by the equation: 3x + 4y = 20.
 - a. Determine and state the equation of line *p*, the image of line *n*, after a dilation of scale factor $\frac{1}{3}$ centered at the point (4, 2).
 - b. Determine and state the equation of line q, the image of line n, after a dilation of scale factor 2 centered at the origin.